GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
RAILWAYS
LOK SABHA

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RAILWAY INFRASTRUCTURE CORPORATION
Chandrappan Shri C.K.

Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Railways have received any proposal from the Government of Kerala for setting up of a Railway Infrastructure Corporation as a joint venture with the State Government;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) the reaction of the Railways thereto?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI R. VELU)

(a): Formation of a Railway Infrastructure Corporation for Kerala was one of the suggestions contained in the Memorandum submitted by Hon'ble Chief Minister of Kerala for Railway Budget 2005-06. However, no formal proposal has been received in this regard.

(b) & (c): Do not arise.